

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re Application of:  
Meong-Gun SONG

Application No.: 10/508,746

Confirmation No.: 6244

Filed: March 26, 2004 (Int'l)

Art Unit: 3738

For: APPARATUS FOR RESTORING AORTIC  
VALVE AND TREATMENT METHOD USING  
THEREOF

Examiner: C. Miller

AFTER FINAL,  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the final Office Action dated July 14, 2010 for which a response is due on October 14, 2010. This response is filed within two months of the issuance of the final Office Action and therefore qualifies for expedited review. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.